

The Pascagoula Chronicle.

LUME XXII

PASCAGOULA, MISSISSIPPI, SATURDAY, DEC. 21, 1918

NUMBER 16

ESTATE TRANSFERS

the Chancery Clerk's Office of the Week Ending December 13th.

B. Achby to Mrs. Hazel 10 acres in NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of other valuable con-

lands and Anah Wells to A. Thomasin and wife to M. SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of 23-7-8, \$1.

and F. H. Lewis to Thos. Lela Kell, parts of lots 1 and 2, Ker tract fronting 93 ft. in 11-8-6, \$100.

and wife to George J. of lot 7, M. A. Dees tract 100.

John Clark to Russell Car. of land and improvements on Ocean Springs on Kotsam Aves. 150 x 193 ft.

et al to Joseph B. Bo. 3 and 8 in block "C" Lib. in city of Pascagoula th 94.

ing to J. M. Hubbell and Well, quit claim deed to 1/2 of SW 1/4 and 1/2 of 1/2 of SW 1/4 of 1 all in \$1.60.

ity & Colony Co. et al to 1/2 and A. W. Hubbell, quit to NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of 1/2, and 1/2 of SW 1/4 of 1, 1/2, 1/2, \$1.00.

merican Oil Co. to W. M. ill tracts numbered 8-9-2, No. 17 subdivision of 20 as 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of 20.

phy to Delphine Stevens, net of 31-5-7, \$340.

obby to Susie Daal, lot 7 a plat of subdivision and estate of Adam Hough, de- of net of 11-8-6, \$150.

lor, commissioner, to Kahn Grocery Co., SW 1/4 of sec. 3 1/2-7 and net of net 1/2 of NW 1/4 of 27-6-7 of 1/2 of Gulfport Nos. 29 1/2, 1/2 of Point addition,

ran and wife to A. L. Wilk- of lot 13 in Burton Goss- of net of net of 30-1-10 acres.

Cunningham and wife to Thomson, about 2 acres 100.

W. Lynd to Willie Lynd, in 12-7-6, \$50.

lin to M. M. Watkins, quit to lots 11, 12, 13 and 14 of A. P. Cassell's tract or sub- of Pascagoula, \$1.

skins to city of Pascagoula, 13 and 14 of block B of A. sub-division, city of Pas- 14-8-6, \$500.

oodman and Ellis Ladner Q. Millette, lot 5 of sub- lot 39 share 3 of Baptiste of Pascagoula, \$150.

Brasley to Theodore Grant, of Francis Henry tract of 0 ft. in city of Pascagoula.

encer to C. A. Hazard res in ne corner of 21-5-5.

anson and wife to John F. of lot 53 of Denny & Mc- in 26-7-6, \$275.

and wife to Harriet art, lot 100x314 ft. in 19-

erson to C. P. Seaman lot share 8 of William Elder 1/2 of net of 30-7-5, \$325.

Deeds of Trust. ore et al to First National and, Miss., deed of trust for 1/2 of the NW 1/4 and 1/2 of 1/2 of SW 1/4 of 2-6-9.

ore et al to Mrs. Sue Snell deed of trust for \$300.00 1/2 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of 1/2 of 2-6-9.

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REGULAR SAILORS TO MAN MERCHANT SHIPS.

End of War Brings About Change in Handling Vessels.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Crews of merchant sailors instead of naval men will be placed aboard all ships of the United States merchant marine hereafter commissioned except vessels engaged in the transportation of troops. This decision, the shipping board announced tonight in consequence of the elimination of the submarine danger, with the attendance discontinuance of the convoy and other naval regulations which governed the move- ments of cargo vessels during the war. It is understood that no changes will be made for the present in the naval crews of merchant vessels already in service.

In making the announcement, Bain- bridge Colby, acting chairman of the shipping board, said the board has been "guided by the necessity of re- storing the usual commercial con- ditions governing the operation of merchant vessels as rapidly as possible in order to enable the ordinary com- petitive conditions to be met."

GIRLS' CLUBS.

The Girls' Clubs held their exhibits at the courthouse Dec. 7. It was not as large as expected but conditions that could not be prevented were largely the cause of this.

We are indebted to the following for contributions, as well as to the county for contributing: Perry & Hunsberger, A. Delcomyn, Young's Drug Store, W. M. Canty, Pascagoula National Bank, Ocean Springs Bank, Merchants & Marine Bank, A. L. Flurry and W. H. Westfall.

The best record in canning was made by Eva Flurry of Vestry. The best record in poultry work was made by Jewel Marble of Harleston. Each of these received \$15 cash, which means they were entitled to the trip to the State Fair had it been held.

Louetta Fairley of Iowa made the best record in second year's work. Rosa Lee Baria made best record in third year's work. Grace Fairley made best in fourth year's work. Each of these received a special prize of \$3.00.

The following girls were prize winners: Annie Kate Lockard, Lucille Havens, Annie Havens, Ruth Spalding, Ruby and Ina Breeland, Eva Flurry, Ella Mae Wiggins, Rosa Lee Baria, Minnie and Jewel Marble.

In the Home Demonstration Department Miss Lizzie Eley won on rag rug and best collection of dried products.

MISS CARRIE COOK.

Home Economics Agent.

W.S.S.

TRAINS ARE ADDED FOR HOLIDAY TRAVEL.

Numbers 1 and 4 on L. and N. to Operate Two Sections.

Beginning Wednesday trains number One and Four on the Louisville and Nashville are being run in two sections in order to take care of the increasing holiday traffic.

Regional Director R. L. Winchell has issued order to all federal managers to do all in their power to take care of the holiday crowds and with the least inconvenience possible.

Railroad officials are of the opinion that the holiday traffic will be heavier than in the last few seasons on account of the large number of returning troops on their way home.

W.S.S.

FEED LAYING RATION FOR WINTER EGG PRODUCTION

To increase the production of eggs, now worth more than a nickel apiece, Harley I. Williams, Extension Poultry Husbandman, advises the following as a good laying ration for winter:

"Grain, by measure two parts cracked corn, one part feed oats. Mix well in litter night and morning at the rate of one pint to each ten birds.

"To produce eggs in the winter when eggs are scarce and incidentally high in price a dry mash must be fed. One that every Mississippi poultry raiser can easily compound is made as follows: Equal parts by weight of corn meal, bright cotton seed meal, wheat bran and wheat shorts. Mix well and keep before the birds at all times in hoppers or slatted troughs.

"To round out a good winter laying ration poultry must have in addition to mixed grain and dry mash, green feed. This can be supplied best by sowing near the poultry house a small patch of rye or oats. In case you have failed to provide green feed in this form go to the garden, gather and cook a pot full of vegetables, and feed each day about noon in a trough.

"For the best winter egg production green feed must be furnished in some form or other.

"Charcoal and oyster shell kept where the birds have access to it at all times will prove very beneficial in promoting good health and a good supply of eggs.

"If Mississippi poultry raisers will follow the above methods of feeding and do not get winter eggs it might be well to investigate and see if the hens are not all rosters.

PLENTY OF WORK FOR ALL ASSURED.

Warning Issued Against Hasty Action With Reference to Employment Questions.

New York, Dec. 17.—Resolutions cautioning all manufacturers against "hasty action or conclusion in reference to employment questions" were adopted by the committee on readjustment of the National Association of Manufacturers, meeting in joint session here today with the advisory committee of the National Council of Industrial Defense. The resolution predicted that "the normal demands of industry" will provide sufficient work for all persons now employed, as well as for the soldiers and sailors soon to be returned to civil life.

Asserting that there appears to be a "well defined attempt to create the false impression that we are to experience in the near future an unheard of cessation of industry," the resolution declared indications are that the country is "on the threshold of an unprecedented business expansion."

The present depleted stocks of American stores and factories and the imminence of great expansion in export business were cited as factors indicating good business prospects.

All members of the National Association of Manufacturers, it was said, are pledged to give jobs to former employees returning from the military service, and a plan was suggested today for the establishment by manufacturers of factory schools in which disabled soldiers would be trained for suitable work.

Advocating the government policy of vocational training for disabled soldiers, the manufacturers' association committee expressed the hope that this work will be extended to include disabled industrial workers and eventually others who have had no opportunity of learning a trade.

Action was also taken at the joint meeting. It was announced, looking toward enactment of legislation empowering the lower courts to adjudicate claims of manufacturers for reimbursement for cancelled war contracts. Such legislation, it was declared, would facilitate settlements.

W.S.S.

ALLOWANCES BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

W. D. Durant & Co., labor and lumber repairing bridges in District No. 2, 73.00; Homer Flurry, 2 days labor at 2.75, 5.50; J. L. Flurry, 10 days labor at 4.00, 40.00; total, 118.50.

DISTRICT NO. 2, ROAD FUND.

W. D. Durant & Co., hauling cinders for road, \$2.00; Frank Cumbest, driving truck 75.00, amt. paid driving truck 6 days, 87.00; Jas. D. Gautier, draining criss road, 2.00; Lee Arson, 5 days driving truck, 10.00; Wick Holan, 8 days driving truck, 16.00; W. E. Cain 11 days labor, 22.00; J. A. Pails, building culvert, etc., 9.75; McIntosh Lumber Co., lumber, 88.61; Gulf Refining Co., gasoline, 52.25; Adams Machinery Co., supplies and repairs to truck, 17.00; Fred Taylor, labor paid repairing River road, 34.75. Total \$417.38.

DIST. NO. 2 SINKING FUND.

Merchants & Marine Bank, int. on 4 GEN. ROAD & INT. FUND. road bonds of 1912, \$120.00.

PASCAGOULA NATL. BANK, int. on 10 road bonds of 1909, \$500.00.

DIST. NO. 3 ROAD FUND.

W. D. Durant & Co., hauling cinders & labor, \$50.00.

DIST. NO. 3 & 4 ROAD FUND.

Fred Taylor, clerk, express charges paid, \$2.33; Gulf Refining Co. of La., 3 drums lusterite, 19.88; Cowell the Tailor, 51 gals. Supreme oil for Pascagoula ferry, \$30.60; Adams Machinery & Mfg. Co., supplies to Pascagoula ferry, \$11.25; A. Joyner, salary operating Pascagoula ferry and extra time, \$135.00; Cecil Lear, services as deck hand, \$17.50. Total \$217.06.

DIST. NO. 4 ROAD FUND.

Walter Gautier, making and putting up 3 guide boards, \$3.00; E. S. Davis & Sons, supplies, \$1.16; Paul Seymour Sr., 28 days labor, \$56.00; Angerous Ryan, 19 days labor, \$53.00; J. F. No- bly, 28 days labor, \$56.00; A. S. Gill, 5 days labor, \$10.00; Sam A. Fairley, 4 days labor, \$8.00; Mrs. L. F. Richter, feed, \$37.50; John R. Elgin, feed, \$56.30. Total \$266.26.

DIST. NO. 5 ROAD FUND.

Lewis Gates, 10 1/2 days labor on road, \$23.62; W. W. Groves, labor and supplies furnished, 26.60; Walter Deloney, labor on road, 11.00; W. H. Westfall, feed, 7.30; A. C. Gottsche, feed, 3.00; Henry Deloney, carin for mules, etc., 45.45; A. L. Havens, labor with truck and shovel, 45.00; Jack Ware, labor on road, 7.00; W. P. Ramsay, amt. paid for feed for mules, 3.15; D. A. Messingill, labor on road, 29.25; E. E. Byrd, labor on road, 29.25; J. M. Flurry, labor, mule and wagon, 48.50. Total \$279.02.

SCHOOL FUND.

A. L. Flurry, Supt., salary, \$91.50; A. B. Dick Co., supplies to Supt., 4.28; Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service to Supt. of Ed., 2.75; Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to Supt. of Ed., 44.50; Wiley Goff, transporting lumber for Wade school, 12.00. Total \$155.03.

MOSS POINT

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown have returned to their home in Norwich, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Laftman of West Virginia will spend Xmas here with Mr. J. W. Griffin.

Miss Lulu Barnett left Monday for New Orleans where she will enter training at the Touro.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hodge and family have returned to their home in Ruston for Xmas.

Friends here of Mr. Ed. Wood regret to learn of his continued illness, which necessitates his confinement to his bed in the Touro Infirmary.

Curtis Reed of Mobile was a recent guest of his uncle, Mr. E. K. Gantt.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pierson and young son of Pensacola are guests of Capt. and Mrs. Sherman.

Mrs. M. L. Stewart left Tuesday for Macon, where she will spend the Xmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Featherston.

Misses Orpha Howell and Susan Bruner returned home Friday from Blum College at Gainesville, Ga., for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Herring spent several days in New Orleans this week. J. D. Lowe was a recent visitor to Mobile.

Foster Carter came over from New Orleans for a visit to home folks.

Mrs. A. F. Dantzier spent Tuesday in New Orleans.

Mrs. F. Colmer and two little girls, Mrs. R. G. Borden and Miss Bessie Byrn Borden motored to Mobile Saturday.

Misses Thelma Maddox and Myrtle Hunt returned Thursday from Hattiesburg for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McIntosh were recent visitors to New Orleans.

C. L. Turner motored up to Hovey Monday.

Miss Clara Herring has returned from Mobile for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McInnis and four children of Hovey are Xmas guests of Mrs. F. S. Herrin.

Mr. R. E. L. Morgan transacted business in Mobile Monday.

The meeting of the Fortnightly Club afforded its members one of the few social pleasures since the war times activities and Mrs. J. N. Rape as hostess on Thursday afternoon was the means of giving them this pleasure.

A very interesting paper on "Useless Xmas Giving" was read by Mrs. T. T. Bush, after which the hostess served delicious cream and cake.

A tiny baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilcox Wednesday.

Mr. Harry Wilcox and children motored over to Mobile Friday.

School will close Friday for the Xmas holidays and the out-of-town teachers will leave Saturday for their respective homes.

Among the soldier boys who have been mustered out and have reached home for Xmas are Arthur Smith of Camp Dix, Md.; Percy Colmer, Camp Taylor, Ky.; Earl Cunningham, Camp Pike, Ark.; Lloyd Bilbo, S. A. T. C., Camp Martin, N. C.; Leroy Jones and Joe Riley A. & M., Starkville, and Louis Bender.

W.S.S.

WILSON SOON WILL VISIT LONDON.

London, Dec. 18.—The Press Association issues an official statement that President Wilson is coming to London earlier than expected. The date has not been definitely fixed, but he is expected within a fortnight.

The premier's departure for Paris has been postponed in consequence, the statement adds, "and President Wilson and the premier will hold in London the preliminary conversations which were to have been held in the French capital."

W.S.S.

PRIVATE JOHNNIE OLSEN.

Private Johnnie Olsen, son of pilot C. L. Olsen, left for France on the 24th day of May last. He was among the few boys from this port who got to the front. News was received recently by his father that Johnnie was killed in action. Young Olsen was a manly boy and won the friendship of many of our citizens. He is perhaps the first and only Pascagoulan killed on the battle front of France. To his bereaved father, sisters and brothers, the Chronicle joins in expressions of sincere sympathy.

W.S.S.

Miss Hazel Chidsey arrived Friday from the Woman's College at Hattiesburg to spend the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. C. E. Chidsey.

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Mr. J. A. Marques, Jr., Mexican consul, stationed at Mobile, was in port Monday on official business.

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LOST—Between Hattiesburg and Helena one Ajax tire and rim off automobile. Finder return to J. G. Blackwell and receive reward.

Dr. J. J. Jones of Lucedale was a business visitor to Pascagoula last Saturday.

Private Geo. K. Smith from Indiana was here Wednesday.

BOYS ADRIFT SIX DAYS SWIM MILE TO REACH SHORE.

Biloxi Youths Safe After Close Brush With Death on Gulf.

After being adrift six days, Murray Humphries and Warren Aggregard, two 17-year-old Biloxi youths who had been given up as lost on the gulf, are safe. Both boys are at Chateau Canard, a hunting lodge at the mouth of the Mississippi and not far from Quarantine. The lodge is owned by Joseph Letter, Chicago millionaire and sportsman.

According to L. C. Burras, telephone operator stationed at Quarantine, a message was sent over long distance to young Humphries' father in Biloxi late Thursday telling him the boys were alive.

Mr. Burras said the boys related how an easterly wind Saturday drove in the wrong direction the small motor-boat in which they had started from Gulfport to Biloxi. Their batteries became exhausted and they drifted helplessly, without food and without water except rain. He said the physician who is attending them says they are in an extremely emaciated spirit of youth.

Reports to the effect that the boys were picked up by a ship shortly after their twenty-foot launch lost its motor power, are incorrect. They remained in the useless craft, having neither an anchor nor the means to make repairs.

Near the mouth of the Mississippi they beached their boat and swam nearly a mile to Chateau Canard, where they were taken in and given food and warm clothing. They reached the hunting lodge at about 3 p. m. Thursday, where great astonishment was expressed at their ability to swim so far after their strenuous experience.

Relatives and friends organized searching parties soon after it was feared they had gone adrift, but no trace of them was found. The waters of Mississippi sound were scoured for a glimpse of them or their boat, without avail. Islands along the coast were patrolled in a vain effort to locate them in case they had been able to land. Two airplanes of the Gerstner Field aerial mail routing squadron left New Orleans early Tuesday morning in a search for the lads, but failed to discover them or their boat.

Great rejoicing at Biloxi followed the receipt of the news of their safety. Relatives were almost unable to believe that the boys were really alive, as their fate seemed certain. The immediate families are awaiting their arrival with the utmost thanksgiving. What would have been a sad Christmas would be a season of unusual joy in more than two homes.—Times Picayune.

W.S.S.

USE OF PAPER CUPS URGED TO PREVENT DISEASE SPREAD

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 18.—Dr. W. S. Leathers, secretary of the State Board of Health, has written a letter to the proprietor of a soft drink establishment in which he explains the order of the board for the use of paper cups and other receptacles instead of glasses. He states that the Board of Health has been making a study of soda fountains for some time that have been found frequently to be poorly kept and in filthy condition; that physicians know the germs of consumption, Riggs disease, influenza, whooping cough, measles, scarlet fever, syphilis and other infections are found in the mouths of patients suffering with these diseases—that they are in the saliva, on the teeth and lips, wherefore there is constant danger of transmission at soda fountains.

He says it is impossible to cleanse glassware in cold water, as the germs of consumption have been found to live several minutes in a temperature above 212 degrees Fahrenheit. It is therefore imperative that the Board of Health take some steps to correct the possibility of transmitting disease at soda fountains.

There seems to be only two ways, says Dr. Leathers, open to the solution of the problem—the use of paper cups, or the use of a sterilizer. He says:

"It is the opinion of the State Board of Health that the paper cups and receptacles are much safer and better, so far as information can be obtained on the subject. It will be necessary in the use of paper cups, of course, to keep them at the fountain in the proper way and to use the right kind of cup in the metal holder. The only objection which seems to be worthy of consideration in the use of the paper cup is the expense, and I think that this objection cannot be effectively employed. The paper cups sell for about three-tenths of a cent apiece or about \$3.50 per thousand and sundae dishes \$2.50 a thousand. I think that the people should have a clean product, or as nearly clean as possible, and I submit that three-tenths of a cent is not too great a price to pay for cleanliness per cup.

Mrs. George Huggins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clevie Huggins, at Biloxi.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Martin and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Keen at Ocean Springs Sunday.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

State of Mississippi, County of Jackson.

Alabama Naval Stores Company vs. No. 3748 T. A. Roberts et al. In pursuance of the terms of a decree rendered by the Chancery Court of Jackson County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of November, 1918, in the above styled cause, I, the undersigned, W. G. Parker, special commissioner, will on MONDAY, THE 30th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1918, at the front door of the Courthouse of Jackson County, Mississippi, within legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property described in a certain deed of trust executed by T. A. Roberts and W. R. Taylor to the Alabama Naval Stores Company on the 1st day of March, 1916, said deed of trust being of record in Book 4, pages 562-567, Record of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust of Jackson County, Mississippi, to-wit:

One eighteen barrel turpentine still and all fixtures and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or appertaining. Two horses and one two horse wagon.

50,000 metl cups. All barrels, tools, utensils, appurtenances, boilers, distillers supplies, with all staves, headings, bungs, battings, glue, coopers' tools and all buildings, shanties, or improvements used by the firm of Taylor and Roberts in connection with their late turpentine business. Also all books and open accounts, notes, bills receivable, and debts and evidences of debt belonging to said Taylor & Roberts included in said deed of trust.

Also the following leases for turpentine purposes to-wit: The following leases executed to the Alabama & Naval Stores Company, to-wit: A lease executed by Richard Roberts on the 1st day of January, 1916, a lease executed by the Alabama Logging Company of date January 1st, 1916, a lease executed by Edwin B. Long, Agent for Wallace and Hubertson of date January 7th, 1916, a lease executed by C. W. Sweeney dated January 19th, 1916, a lease executed by D. W. Snell dated January 8th, 1916, a lease executed by S. D. Coleman dated January 1st, 1916.

Also any other leases, lease holds or interest in land belonging to the late firm of Taylor & Roberts in connection with their turpentine business aforesaid.

Witness my hand this 27th day of November, A. D. 1918.

Wm. G. PARKER, Special Commissioner.

NOTICE OF LETTING CONTRACT FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY, 1919.

Sealed proposals will be received from the banks of Jackson county and adjoining counties on the first Monday, the 6th day of January, 1919, for the privilege of keeping all the county funds, or any part thereof, as provided by law and the rules and regulations adopted by the board of supervisors of said county.

All such proposals shall be filed with the clerk of the board of supervisors on or before 12 o'clock m., January 6th, 1919, and shall state fully the security proposed. No bid will be considered for less than 2 per cent per annum on the average daily balance on deposit in any bank. Any bank qualifying as such county depository will be required to place on deposit as security with the county treasurer any of the following securities in an amount 10 per cent greater than the maximum sum to be placed on deposit in such bank at any one time, to-wit: